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Ernest Loumaye

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For: USE OF GNRH AGONISTS TO SUPPORT
THE LUTEAL PHASE DURING INFERTILITY
TREATMENT

Examiner: Abdel A. Mohamed

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This paper is submitted in response to the non-final Office Action dated January 26, 2009 (Paper No. 20090115). An appropriate extension of time within which to respond is also being filed concurrently herewith. A substitute specification and a supplemental information disclosure statement are also being filed concurrently herewith. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

Exhibit A begins on page 14 of this paper.

Exhibit B begins on page 15 of this paper.